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This Response (and the concurrently filed Extension of Time) is filed in answer to the Office Action mailed January 3, 2002. This Response is separate (as noted previously) from the AMENDMENT CORRECTING BENEFIT INFORMATION filed on January 17, 2002.

REMARKS

In section 2 of the outstanding Detailed Action, independent claims 65, 80 and 81 were rejected under 35 USC § 102 as being anticipated by the Oh patent. In addition, dependent claims 66-69, 71-74, 77 and 79 dependent from independent claim 65 were also rejected as being anticipated by the Oh patent. In section 4, claims 70, 75,-76 and 78 also dependent from independent claim 65 were rejected under 35 USC § 103 as being unpatentable over the Oh patent in view of the Naoi patent. However, for the following reasons, it is submitted that these claims are all allowable over the noted references.